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In re Application of

Stice, Cibelli, Robl, Golueke,

and Jerry

Application No. 09/004,606

Filed: January 8, 1998

For: CLONING USING DONOR NUCLEI FROM DIFFERENTIATED

FETAL AND ADULT CELLS

: DECISION ACCORDING STATUS

: UNDER 37 CFR 1.47(a)

This is in response to the "Petition Under 37 CFR § 1.47(a)," filed September 9, 1998.

The petition is granted.

Petitioner has shown that the non-signing inventor has refused to join in the filing of the above-identified application after having been presented with the application papers.

The above-identified application and papers have been reviewed and found in compliance with 37 CFR 1.47(a). This application is hereby accorded Rule 1.47(a) status.

As provided in Rule 1.47(a), this Office will forward notice of this application's filing to the non-signing inventor at the address given in the Declaration. Notice of the filing of this application will also be published in the Official Gazette.

Telephone inquiries regarding this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (703)306-3159.

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